Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, During the week of May 6-12, the Congress of the United States, the American Correctional Association, and the International Association of Correctional Officers are saluting the men and women who run our correctional institutions; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakota has more than 218 of these loyal and dedicated public servants employed as correctional officers; and,

WHEREAS, These correctional officers are dedicated to making the penitentiary system work and helping inmates become useful and productive citizens; and,

WHEREAS, These public servants work in a system which must operate every hour of every day of the year, and they perform their duties with precision and pride in their work at all times--be it a holiday or not; and,

WHEREAS, These effective public servants receive little public recognition or acclaim for the valuable work they do in protecting society while working with adult offenders to improve their lot; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to join the United States Congress, the American Correctional Association and the International Association of Correctional Officers in saluting these valued public employees:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 6 through 12, 1990, as

CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS WEEK

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this First Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE